

What is claimed is:

1. A composition for a mole control comprising an active ingredient capable of repelling moles adsorbed on a solid matrix capable of adsorbing said active ingredient.
2. The composition of claim 1 wherein said active ingredient is releasable from said solid matrix.
3. The composition of claim 1 wherein said active ingredient is castor oil.
4. The composition of claim 1 wherein said active ingredient is a castor oil derivative.
5. The composition of claim 1 wherein said solid matrix is a coarse-grained material.
6. The composition of claim 5 wherein said coarse-grained material is a granular clay material.
7. The composition of claim 1 wherein said solid matrix is a fine-grained material.

8. The composition of claim 7 wherein said fine-grained material is powdered clay.
9. A composition for a slow-releasing mole control comprising an active ingredient capable of repelling moles encapsulated in an encapsulating material capable of releasing said active ingredient.
10. The composition of claim 9 wherein said active ingredient is castor oil.
11. The composition of claim 9 wherein said active ingredient is a castor oil derivative.
12. The composition of claim 11 wherein said castor oil derivative is a solid salt.
13. The composition of claim 9 wherein said active ingredient is adsorbed on a solid matrix capable of adsorbing said active ingredient, and encapsulated in said encapsulating material.
14. The composition of claim 13 wherein said solid matrix is a coarse-grained material.
15. The composition of claim 13 wherein said coarse-grained material is a granular clay material.

16. The composition of claim 13 wherein said solid matrix is a fine-grained material.

17. The composition of claim 16 wherein said fine-grained material is powdered clay.

18. A method for making a composition for a mole control comprising the step of:

a) providing an active ingredient capable of repelling moles, and a solid matrix capable of adsorbing said active ingredient; and

b) mixing said active material with said adsorbent solid matrix into a uniform mixture.

19. The method of claim 18 further comprising the step of:

c) sieving the uniform mixture through a sizing screen.

20 The method of claim 19 includes the step of:

d) providing an encapsulating material;

- e) mixing said uniform mixture with said encapsulating material to form an encapsulated composition; and
- f) drying the encapsulated composition.